

2009 NIBIB Forum for Technology Translation
April 2, 2009
Seattle, Washington

Preliminary Program

- 8:30 AM** **Welcome and Introduction**
Belinda Seto, Ph.D., Deputy Director
National Institute of Biomedical Imaging and Bioengineering (NIBIB)
- 8:45 AM** **Keynote Speech**
The Role of Partnerships – the BDI Model and EU Integration Projects
Brian MacCraith, Ph.D., Director, Optical Sensors Laboratory &
Biomedical Diagnostics Institute
Dublin City University
- 9:30 AM** **Challenges in Technology Translation and the Role of Partnerships from the Non-profit and Academic Perspective**
Bernhard Weigl, Ph.D., Group Leader, Diagnostic Development Teams
Program for Appropriate Technology in Health (PATH)
- 10:00 AM** Gerald Kost, Ph.D., Professor of Medical Pathology and Director of
Clinical Chemistry
University of California, Davis
- 10:30 AM** **Break**
- 10:45 AM** Fred Beyette, Ph.D., Associate Professor, Department of Electrical and
Computer Engineering and Computer Science
University of Cincinnati
- 11:15 AM** Charlotte Gaydos, Dr.P.H., Associate Professor of Medicine
Johns Hopkins University
- 11:45 AM** **Lunch and Poster Session**
- 1:00 PM** **Challenges in Technology Translation and the Role of Partnerships from the Industrial Perspective**
John Czajka, Ph.D., Director of Business Development
Smiths Detection Diagnostics
- 1:30 PM** Steven Nelson, Vice President of Business Development
Cepheid
- 2:00 PM** Thomas Li, Ph.D., Chief Technology Officer

Roche Diagnostics

- 2:30 PM Regulatory Requirements and Guidelines for In-vitro Diagnostic Devices**
Ann Chappie, Medical Technologist
Division of Chemistry and Toxicology Devices, FDA
- 3:00 PM Highlighted Technology**
Microwave-Accelerated Metal-Enhanced Fluorescence: An Ultra Fast and Sensitive Sensing Platform Technology
Chris Geddes, Ph.D., Professor and Director, The Institute of Fluorescence
University of Maryland Biotechnology Institute
- 3:30 PM Panel Discussion: Multiplexed Assay Technology Development Vision and Challenges**
POCTRN Center Principal Investigators
- 3:45 PM Break**
- 4:00 PM Panel Discussion: The Role of Public-Private Partnerships for Accelerating Technology Translation**
Forum Speakers
- 4:30 PM Close**

Meeting Logistics

Meeting Location:

The Mayflower Park Hotel
405 Olive Way
Seattle, WA 98101
206.623.8700
www.mayflowerpark.com

Hotel Information:

The Mayflower Park Hotel has reserved a block of rooms for April 1st at a preferred rate of \$149 per night for this meeting until March 20, 2009.

Alternative hotels are:

Silver Cloud Inn Lake Union
1150 Fairview Avenue North
Seattle, WA 98109
800.330.5812
<http://silvercloud.com/11home.htm>

Homewood Suites Seattle Convention Center
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Seattle, WA 98101
206.682.8282
http://homewoodsuites1.hilton.com/en_US/hw/hotel/SEAHMHW-Homewood-Suites-by-Hilton-Seattle-Conv-Ctr-Pike-Street-Washington/index.do

MarQueen Hotel
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Seattle, WA 98109
888.445.3076
www.marqueen.com

Hotel Vintage Park
1100 Fifth Avenue
Seattle, WA 98101
800.853.3914
<http://www.hotelvintagepark.com>

Inn at the WAC (Washington Athletic Club)
1325 Sixth Avenue
Seattle, WA 98101
206.622.7900
<http://www.wac.net/inn.aspx>

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